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Re: Enclosed Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
 U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/654,501  
 Our Reference: NGB.185

Dear Examiner Jackson:

Enclosed is an Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, which we request that you enter and which should place the above-referenced case in condition for allowance.

Thank you in advance for your kind consideration on this case.

Very truly yours,

Scott M. Tulino, Esq.  
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